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Arrival of the Eliza Anderson.

Later from the States and Europe.

The steamer Eliza Anderson arrived from the Sound about eight o'clock yesterday morning. Through the kindness of Captain Fleming, we are placed in possession of the Portland Advertiser to January 4th.

California.

Dates from California are to the 22d ult:

R. G. Watkins, on trial at Carson City, for the murder of an unknown man, on the 21st of Oct. last, was acquitted, the jury bringing in a verdict of "not guilty."

R. P. Canterbury, a printer, stabbed R. C. Fisher, a saloon keeper, in Sacramento, on the 18th ult. Five wounds—small ones—were made with a pen-knife.

The Pioneer Steam Flour Mill, Sacramento, was destroyed by fire, Dec. 19th. Loss \$10,000. Insured.

There has lately been held in Sacramento a meeting of Secession sympathy from all parts of the State. In numbers they were few, but for this they made up in the enthusiasm manifested and impractical ideas promulgated.

Rev. Dr. Scott, of San Francisco, has been found guilty of plagiarism, in pilfering from the literary works of Dr. Cumming, an Englishman.

Thos. A. Armstrong, an engraver, died suddenly in San Francisco on the 21st ult. He was an Englishman by birth, and highly esteemed.

D. Sands was shot and killed by R. Loughridge at Genoa on the 18th ult. On the 4th of November Loughridge was stabbed by Sands, and lay for nearly two months suffering from the effects of his wound. As soon as he left his bed, he procured a shot-gun and killed his former antagonist on sight. A bloody sequel, truly.

A historical and scientific society has been founded in Sonora, Tuolumne county. Its object is to make the natural history of California known to every one, and to preserve all the minerals and fossils discovered in the country.

The States.

Redpath tried to get up a John Brown sympathy meeting in Boston, on the 3d ult. The Union men took possession of the house and passed resolutions denouncing Brown, and justifying his execution by Virginia. The abolitionists vainly endeavored to secure harmony, and fear of violence was apprehended, but none attempted.

At Mauch Chunk, Pa., on the 3d ult., a passenger car, containing 28 persons, was precipitated into the Lehigh river, a distance of 15 feet. Four passengers and the conductor were drowned. The names are: Mr. Farrow and sister, of Beaver Meadow, and two sisters named Smith, of Mauch Chunk; the others recovered.

The steamer Circassian was lost in a late gale in the Straits of Mackinac, with all on board.

Large numbers of laborers were discharged in New York.

There was a prize fight at Bull's Ferry, New Jersey, on the 3d ult., between Dennis Horrigan and William Clark, for \$100 aside. They fought forty-four rounds in three hours. Clark was victorious.

W. H. Hudson was arrested recently, at Chicago, for robbing the mail on the railroad. \$11,000 were found in his possession.

The fugitive slave, Jones, charged with murder, will probably be surrendered to the United States authorities, on the opinion of the Attorney-General, at Toronto, Canada.

The Globe says that if it is done, scarcely a fugitive slave in Canada is safe.

It was rumored that Amos Kendall will be offered a seat in the Lincoln cabinet, and that Gov. Pratt, of Maryland, will succeed Thompson as Secretary of the Interior.

The United States Treasury could not pay 25 per cent. of the member's mileage.

Advices from Fort Scott represent quiet there, and the reported outrages of Montgomery exaggerated.

A Leavenworth dispatch of Dec. 8d, says Montgomery attacked a church at Lawrence. The greatest fear exists along the Missouri border.

The increase of weekly loans by the bank statements of New York, was upward of \$7,000,000; of deposits, upwards of \$6,000,000.

The Cataract Bank, at Peterson, N. J., had closed.

Ten or twelve large mercantile houses in New Orleans had failed, including Lewis & Oglesby; Martin Corbin & Co., and 2nd and Bro.

The Georgia Senate had rejected the bill for calling a Convention of Southern States, and regarded it as indicating an intention to secede separately.

The election of members to the Convention in South Carolina proceeded quietly.

It was rumored at Charleston that the Federal Government had engaged laborers at Fort Moultrie, and were drilling them as recruits.

The secession feeling was spreading at last accounts in Florida.

At the New York charter election, Dec. 5th, four Republican Aldermen and five Democratic were chosen, and eleven Republican Councilmen, eleven Tammany and two Mozart as far as heard from.

In the Senate, Clingman, of North Carolina, on a motion to have the message published, said it fell short of investigating the crisis. If a President was elected who was a dangerous man, he did

not think States acted precipitately, and believed a number would secede in sixty days, and insisted that Congress should divide the public property fairly and peaceably, after paying the debts.

Crittenden, of Ky., hoped the example of the gentleman would not be followed. He hoped there would be no angry debates.

Clingman said he hoped to preserve the Union, but when the Union ceases to protect Carolina he would bid it good bye.

A motion that a special committee of one from each State be chosen to consider the message, was finally carried.

During the call of the roll, several members from Georgia, Mississippi, and Louisiana declined voting, because a convention had been called in their States. Niles, of South Carolina, declined to vote because his State was out of the Union, except as mere form.

The message is condemned at Washington by extremists North and South, while conservatives approve its main principles.

In the Senate, Dec. 4th, Baker, of Oregon, presented his credentials.

Of the President's Message, Hale, of New Hampshire, said it failed to look the secession movement in the face.

Brown said that if the North would go to the right, they would go to the left, and vice versa.

Iverson said five States would go out of the Union before the 4th of March, peacefully if they can, forcibly if they must. He denounced the refusal of the Governor of Texas to call a Legislature as a stain on the Lone Star. Yet the public sentiment was strong enough to overrule the Governor, and if he will not yield, some Texas Brutus may arise and rid the country of this dictator. He said there would be no war, as such a far-seeing statesman as Seward knew the futility of this; but if it does come, we will welcome the Senator from New Hampshire, and all his myrmidons of Abolitionists, with bloody hands to hospitable graves.

Wigfall, of Texas, thought the President would precipitate the measure he intended to avoid.

Swissbury, of Del., said Delaware would be the last in the Union to commence secession.

In the Senate, Dec. 6th, Latham presented the memorial of the Chamber of Commerce of San Francisco for a daily overland mail; and for sending the entire letter mail by the Pony. The schedule to be divided between the Southern and Central routes.

Gov. Letcher, of Va., is arranging for sending commissioners to South Carolina to urge delay, and the Governor of Kentucky is taking the same steps. Hunter and Rives will be appointed from Virginia, and Guthrie and Breckenridge from Kentucky. This example will probably be followed by Tennessee, North Carolina and Maryland.

Government is informed of the design of the secessionists to seize Fort Moultrie by a coup de main. Secretary Floyd defends the right of secession, but not its exercise until other means fail. He favors a State Convention.

At a meeting in Richmond, Dec. 6th, strong Union speeches were made.

The House of Representatives of South Carolina, December 6th, passed a bill providing for an amendment to increase the military force 10,000 men without opposition. The President's Message excites little remark.

In the House, Dec. 6th, a committee of one from each State was appointed to consider the perilous condition of the country. The House then adjourned, amid much confusion.

The Electoral College met on the 5th ult. So far as heard from they have voted for the candidates as President and Vice President already announced. New Jersey cast four votes for Lincoln and Hamlin and three for Douglas and Johnson.

The British Government has again called the attention of our Government to the increase of the Slave trade, to which a rather short reply was returned—that the U. S. ship Constitution, on the Coast of Africa, has captured the slave bark Cora, of New York, with 700 negroes aboard.

The President's Message has made a great sensation among the secessionists at Richmond. They think they ought to be allowed to secede peaceably, if they can. The conservatives consider this Message a fine production.

The Washington correspondent of the N. Y. Herald says that the commander of Fort Moultrie called on the War Department for additional troops and munitions. The President and Secretary of War favor the demand, but other members of the Cabinet oppose it.

The report of the negro insurrection in Cumberland county, Ky., was much exaggerated. There was a good deal of excitement in consequence of the discovery that a white man was tampering with the negroes. He was arrested, and some threats were made to lynch him, but there appears to be no truth in the report that one white man and fifteen negroes were hanged.

A Washington dispatch says that Speaker's warrants were protested on the 6th, for want of funds in the Treasury, and that the protest would be formally taken. The Treasury has paid about \$200,000 to members since the meeting of Congress.

During a discussion in the South Carolina Legislature on the 5th, on a law establishing an Ordnance Bureau, Mr. Rhett said that there were several large Paixhan guns which could be used by taking the Fort. Another member stated that the State had 382 Infantry Companies, 60 Cavalry, 18 Artillery and 62 Rifle Companies—making 121 battalions, 56 Regiments and 5 Divisions. Total, 60,000 men.

Europe.

A part of the royal army of Naples had arrived at Rome.

King Francis had burst a blood vessel. The siege of Gaeta continues.

The Bourbon troops fought resolutely, though the defection among the officers was great.

One Colonel surrendered his battalion to the Piedmontese.

It is believed evacuation is resolved upon.

It is rumored that France is prepared to acknowledge the kingdom of Italy as soon as France leaves it.

Later from China.

By the arrival of the bark Robert Passenger at San Francisco, we have news from Hong Kong, to the 15th of October:

The allied army had arrived at Pekin. On their way up the river they had a slight skirmish with the Chinese troops, who were driven back with considerable loss of men.

The Emperor had fled from Pekin on the approach of the Allied forces. It was the opinion at Hong Kong that the Allied forces were too small to contend with the Chinese in the interior.

At Foochow, a British merchant's goods had been confiscated by the Custom House authorities, and a boat from a British gunboat then commenced bombarding the town, and had sent to Hong Kong for reinforcements.

The U. S. steamer Saginaw had arrived from the North.

A rumor prevailed at Hong Kong that the Allies had taken Pekin after a battle; that the Emperor had fled; that the two English prisoners had been beheaded by the Chinese at the city of Tung-Chow; and that this place had been given up to be sacked by the soldiers. The Hong Kong Press says it places no reliance in the rumor. Otherwise

there is no news, save some unimportant details of the march of the army towards Pekin.

By a private letter received in this city, dated Hong Kong, Oct. 16th, we learn that the report that Mr. Parke and associate had been beheaded by the Chinese at Pekin, was confirmed. It is undoubtedly true.

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d30

NOTICES.

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\$5 REWARD.

I HEREBY OFFER THE ABOVE REWARD to any person who shall recover from the Wreck of the NANETTE, and deliver to the Underwriters' Agents, within two weeks from this date, my Diploma and Certificate of Qualification from the Board of Examiners of the Royal Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain. They were rolled together in a japanned tin case about 43 inches in length and 2½ in diameter, and packed in a large case, part of the contents of which have already been brought up.

W. M. SEARBY,
Druggist and Apothecary,
Government street, Victoria, Jan. 7, 1861. 2w

DISSOLUTION.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between G. B. WRIGHT, J. H. SCOTT, and U. NELSON, under the style of WRIGHT, SCOTT & NELSON, is this day dissolved—J. H. Scott retiring from the firm.

The business in future will be conducted by the undersigned under the name of WRIGHT & NELSON, who will also assume all the debts and credits of the former concern.

G. B. WRIGHT,
U. NELSON.
Port Douglas, December 1st, 1860. d21 1m

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J. M. ROBERTSON.
J. J. LAURION.
Jan 1m

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VICTORIA, Nov. 17th, 1869
Wednesday Morning, Jan. 9, 1861.

Registration and Qualification of Voters
Restricted as the qualifications of electors are to a very few of the intelligent and able-bodied men who compose our population, we deem it necessary to again call public attention to the fact that, on the 24th of January the lists will be closed by the Sheriff. After that date, no one can legally be placed on the list. But a fortnight remains in which to register during the present year. Keeping this fresh in mind, we trust those who are qualified will not be backward in doing their duty.

As we have had numerous accessions to our population since the last registration, and besides some of our citizens may have forgotten the exact nature of an elector's qualification, we give the qualifications in their order in the Franchise Act 1859, which are as follows:

1. Every male British subject of full age who has resided in Vancouver's Island for four months prior to registration. This is a general qualification which all voters must possess, whether they are otherwise qualified or not. It is not necessary that they should be able to read or write, or that they should be of any particular religion or denomination.
2. Being a Surgeon or Physician possessing a diploma from any chartered college in Great Britain, Ireland or the Colonies.
3. Being a Barrister, Solicitor, Attorney, Member of the Faculty of Advocates, or Writer to the Signet, qualified to practice in Great Britain, Ireland or the Colonies.
4. Being a Graduate, of any chartered College or University in the three Kingdoms or the Colonies.
5. FRESHOLD QUALIFICATION.—1. Twenty acres or upwards, of land. 2. Or Real Estate worth £50, situated in the Colony. Each of these qualifications must be in possession three months before registration. 3. Any person drawing one fourth of the profits of a farm on which 20 acres are under cultivation, provided he has had charge of it twelve months prior to registration.
6. RENTAL QUALIFICATION.—Any person who pays an annual rent of £10 or £50 for any real estate (house or land) and who has occupied such for six months previously may request to vote.

Every voter has to send in his claim to the Sheriff. The claimant must describe his qualification; if real estate, where it is situated, the residence of the voter, and sign with his christian and surname written at full length. Accompanying each notice the registration fee of one dollar must be sent, otherwise the Sheriff cannot file the notice.

The Message of the President of the United States.

This document was submitted to Congress on the 6th of December, and is alluded to in our California exchanges as an able production. The Message is very long, and a great portion of it is devoted to the consideration of the question of secession now agitating the American Republic. The President reviews the whole question, and ascribes the present deplorable state of affairs to the "long continued and intemperate interference of the Northern people with slavery in the Southern States." The responsibility of the present agitation, he says, rests entirely with the North—the Southern people are the persecuted—the Northern people the oppressors. He regards the election of Mr. Lincoln as furnishing no cause for a dissolution of the Union.

In order to justify a resort to revolutionary resistance, the Federal Government must be guilty of a deliberate, palpable, and dangerous exercise of power, not granted by the Constitution. The late Presidential election, however, has been held in strict conformity with its express provisions. How then, can the result justify a revolution to destroy this very Constitution? Reason, justice, and regard for the Constitution, all requires that we should wait for some overt and dangerous act on the part of the President elect, before resorting to such a remedy.

In speaking of the acts of the Legislatures of certain Free States in nullifying the Fugitive Slave Law, the President considers them as the most palpable violation of constitutional duty which has yet been committed, and adds that unless those States repeal their "unconstitutional and obnoxious enactments, it is impossible for any human power to save the Union." He asks the Southern people to wait for an overt act, as it is not to be presumed for a moment that the President elect will fail to enforce the Fugitive Slave Law. Speaking of secession, the Message continues:

Secession is nothing more nor less than revolution. It may or may not be justifiable revolution, but still it is revolution. What, in the meantime, is the responsibility and true position of the Executive, bound by solemn oath before God and the country to take care that laws be faithfully executed. From this obligation he cannot be absolved by any human power. But what if performance of this duty, in whole or in part, has been rendered impracticable, by events over which he could have exercised no control? Such, at the present moment, is the case throughout the State of South Carolina. So far as the laws of the United States, to secure the administration of justice, by means of the Federal Judiciary, are concerned, all the Federal officers within its limits—through whose agency alone those laws can be carried into execution—have already resigned.

The question fairly stated is—has the Constitution delegated to Congress the power to force a State into submission, which is attempting to withdraw, or has already withdrawn from the Confederacy? If answered in the affirmative, it must be on the principle that the power has been conferred upon Congress to declare and make war against a State. After much serious reflection I have arrived at the conclusion that no such power had

been delegated to Congress, or to any other department of the Federal Government. It is manifest, upon an inspection of the instrument, that this is not among the specific and enumerated powers granted to Congress, and it is equally apparent that its exercise is not necessary and proper for carrying into execution any one of those powers. So far from this power having been delegated to Congress, it was especially refused by the Convention which formed the Constitution.

Without descending to particularize, it may be safely asserted that the power to make war against a State, is at variance with the whole spirit and intent of the Constitution. Suppose such a war should result in the conquest of a State; how are we to govern it afterwards? Shall we hold it as a province, and govern it as a despotic power? In the nature of things, we could not by physical force control the will of the people, and compel them to elect Senators and Representatives to Congress, and to perform all other duties of a free State as a constitutional member of the Confederacy. But if we are possessed of the power, would it be wise to exercise it, under the existing circumstances? The object would be, doubtless, to preserve the Union; it would not only prevent the most effectual means of destroying it, but would banish all hopes of its peaceful reconstruction; besides, in the fraternal conflict, a vast amount of blood and treasure would be expended, rendering future reconciliation between the States impossible.

Mr. Buchanan believes that the slavery question has reached and passed its point of culmination; but fears that in the existing excitement the Union may perish. He recommends, as a means of allaying the present agitation, that such of the Free States as have passed acts nullifying the Fugitive Slave Law, adopt amendments to their constitutions, as follows:

- 1st. An explicit recognition of the right of property in slaves in the States where Slavery now exists.
- 2d. The duty of protecting this right in all the common Territories throughout their Territorial existence and until they shall be admitted as States into the Union, with or without slavery, as their Constitution may prescribe.
- 3d. A like recognition of the rights of the master to his slave who has escaped, from one State to another, to be restored and delivered to him, and the validity of the Fugitive Slave Law, enacted for this purpose, together with a declaration that all State laws impairing or decreasing the right, are violations of the Constitution, and consequently null and void.

In speaking of affairs in South Carolina, he does not apprehend that an attempt will be made to seize Fort Moultrie, but says that if in this he is mistaken, officers have orders to act strictly on the defensive, and let the responsibility rest on the heads of those who provoke the contest. The passage of a law is recommended fixing a certain day for the election of Congressmen throughout the States. In reference to the Pacific Railroad, the recommendation contained in the Message of last year is renewed.

In our exchanges we notice no extracts regarding the foreign policy of the Administration; but presume that such questions have also been fully and ably treated. Mr. Buchanan has taken strong grounds against secession; and we are glad to see him occupying so wise and conservative a position as that in which his Message seems to place him. His present course will go far towards obliterating the past errors of his Government; may be the means of preserving intact the Republic; and notwithstanding what has past and gone, serve to raise him to an exalted position in the esteem of his fellow-countrymen, and win for him the respect and admiration of the civilized world.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Underwriter's Sale.

P. M. BACKUS, Auctioneer,
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- 1 Sail
- 10 bundles Hoop Iron
- B. in a diamond; 18 cases Porter, 4 doz qts (1 broken)
- do do 10 cases Pale Ale, qts
- do do 4 doz do pints, 8 doz
- do do 5 doz Porter, pints, 8 doz
- 1899 over N. W. in a diamond; 2 cases Bridge's Ale, 6 doz each
- C. D. C.; 1 broken case, 10 bottles Salad Oil
- 61 over N. W., 4939; 1 bale Blankets
- do do 4188; 1 bale Blankets
- do do 4187; 1 bale Blankets
- do do 4154; 1 bale Blankets
- do do 4162; 1 bale Blankets
- 1899 over N. W. in a diamond, 555; 1 bale Blankets
- do do do 617 1 do do
- do do do 955; 1 do do
- No Mark; 1 bale Blankets
- do 1 box Carpeting containing 2 rolls
- 5 rolls Carpeting, (1 roll in 2 pieces)
- J. Main; 7 cases Zinc
- F. in a diamond, 17; 18 cases Pale Ale, Friend's (8 broken)
- C. W. B.; 5 cases Duckworth's Porter (5 broken)
- H. in a diamond; 3 cases Hilbert's (1 broken)
- 1899 over N. W. in a diamond; 3 hds Hoare's Ale
- B. in a diamond; 1 hhd Bass' Ale
- do do 3 tierces do
- C. T. above V. I. in a diamond, 225; 1 case
- J. C. in a diamond over K. M.; 3 cases Old Tom (1 broken)
- E. S.; 2 cases Geneva (1 broken)
- No Mark; 9 Hair Mattresses
- do 7 do Bolsters
- do 5 Decanters
- 2 bottles Drugs
- 1 Iron Screw
- About 23 small pkgs Salt
- 47 Door Mats
- 18 Pairs 2-point White Blankets
- 227 do 2 1/2 do do (single)
- 12 do 2 1/2 do do do
- 392 do 3 do do do
- 34 do 2 do do do
- 2 do 3 1/2 do do do
- 182 do 4 do do do
- 53 1/2 do 4 do do do
- 11 1/2 do Green do
- 1 Clock
- 1 Glass Jar
- PER SKINNER:
- 1 pair 3-point White Blankets
- 8 do 2 1/2 do do
- E. S.; 2 cases Old Tom
- do do Champagne
- do 3 do Whisky
- D. C. and Co.; 3 cases Champagne
- J. C. in diamond over K. M.; 2 cases Old Tom
- 1891 over N. W. in a diamond; 1 case Ale (Bridges)
- 6 doz
- Mr. COLQUHOUN:
- 41 1/2 pairs White Blankets
- 227 do 2 1/2 do do
- 15 pairs 2 1/2-point Blankets
- 1 long Boots
- EX "CIRCUS"
- B. in a diamond; 2 2 hds Bass' Ale
- F. in a diamond; 2 cases Friend's Ale, 8 doz pints
- H. in a diamond; 2 cases Hilbert's Porter, 1 pints and 1 qts
- B. in a diamond; 7 cases Byass' Ale

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

- 2 coils Spun Yarn
- 1899 over N. W. in a diamond; 2 hds Ale
- E. S.; 1 case Geneva
- No Mark; 1 bundle Lining
- W. M. S. in a diamond; 1 small barrel
- No Mark; 1 Copper Pump
- A lot of bottled beer; part loose and put in one brl, about 402 bottles
- E. S.; 7 cases Gin
- No Mark; 1 box Rhubarb
- J. C. in diamond over K. M.; 11 cases Gin
- do do do 1 case Whisky
- 1 Sieve
- 11 Blocks (one broken)
- 6 bundles Hoop Iron
- Some tarred rigging (7 pieces)
- EX "ROYAL CHARLIE"
- J. C. in a diamond over K. M.; 8 cases Gin
- do do do 2 do Whisky
- E. S.; 10 cases Gin
- do 2 do Geneva
- do 9 do Whisky (2 broken)
- do 1 do Champagne
- D. C. and Co.; 1 case St. George
- H. in a diamond; 10 cases bottled Porter (2 broken)
- Cross, London; 12 cases White Lead
- 1899 over N. W. in a diamond; 5 kegs (supposed) Syrup
- S. in a diamond; 1 keg Rivets
- No Mark; 1 coil small Rope
- C. T. above V. I. in a diamond; 2 cans Oil
- 2 Chains
- 1 bundle Hoop Iron
- N. W. in a diamond; 1 hhd Ale
- do do 27, 25 cases Boiled Oil
- 1899 over N. W. in a diamond; 15 cases bottled Ale, 6 doz each (1 broken)
- No Mark; 2 cases containing about 10 doz pnts and 2 doz qts beer (loose)
- EX "THAMES"
- 41 1/2 pairs 2 1/2-point White Blankets
- 4 do 3 do Green do
- P. in a diamond; 12 cases Porter, 3 broken
- H. in a diamond; 8 do do 4 do
- C. W. B.; 4 cases Porter, 1 broken
- E. S.; 10 cases Gin
- J. C. in diamond over K. M.; 4 cases Whisky, 1 broken
- do do do 4 cases Gin
- E. S.; 1 case Geneva
- No Mark; 1 case Sauer (broken)
- B. in a diamond; 8 cases Ale
- do do 5 cases Porter
- C. T. above V. I. in a diamond; 216 61; 2 cases Raw
- 1899 over N. W. in a diamond; 4 pkgs Brandy, 1 leaky
- B. in a diamond; 1 hhd Bass' Ale
- 1899 over N. W. in a diamond; 2 hds Hoare's Ale
- do do do 2 do supposed line
- do do do Salt in jars
- D. in a diamond; 1 hhd Allsop's Ale
- No Mark; 1 case Glass jars full Drugs
- do 10 jars Drugs (supposed)
- C. T. above V. I. in a diamond; 4 boxes Candles
- 1 1/2 doz put bottles Allsop's Beer
- 2 Badders supposed Pitch Master
- No Mark; 4 square tins Oil (supposed)
- C. T. above V. I. in a diamond; 1 can Oil
- 1 Windlass in 2 pnts
- 14 bundles Hoop Iron
- W. J. STEVENS:
- B. in a diamond; 3 cases Porter
- 5 coils Rope
- PILOT BOAT:
- 3 pairs 2-point Blankets (White)
- do 2 1/2 do do
- E. S.; 1 case Gin
- 1 case bottle Ale and Porter
- 1 do containing bottles, Garden Rakes, etc
- C. T. above V. I. in a diamond; 10 boxes Candles (some broken)
- do do do 4 cases Oil
- do do do 1 case Champagne
- D. C. and Co.; 1 case Champagne
- J. C. in diamond over K. M.; 1 case Gin
- do do do 3 cases Whisky
- 38 pairs 2 1/2-point White Blankets
- 1 do 3 do do
- EX LALLA ROOKH"
- E. S.; 5 hds Gin
- B. in a diamond; 2 hds Bass' Ale
- do do 3 tierces do
- 1899 over N. W. in a diamond; 4 hds Ale
- do do do 2 brls Butter
- do do do 332, 228; 2 cases
- do do do 62; 1 case containing Caps
- E. S.; 5 cases Gin (1 broken)
- do 1 do Whisky
- No Mark; 7 bundles Hoop Iron
- 1 do Rod do
- 1 do Flat do
- 2 bars Iron
- 2 Fire Rates
- H. in a diamond; 1 hbl Porter (broken)
- EX "LEONIDE"
- 1899 over N. W. in a diamond; 2 cases Ale
- 8 tins Currants
- 1 brl Hilbert's Ale, qts (broken)
- E. S.; 2 cases Whisky
- 1 Chain
- 10 bundles Hoop Iron
- 1 Account Book
- EX "NORTHERN LIGHT"
- No Mark; 10 tins Currants
- 1899 over N. W. in a diamond; 1 hhd Hoare's Ale
- EX "H. C. PAGE"
- 9 bundles Hoop Iron
- 6 pieces Rod Iron
- 1 Block
- Some tarred Rigging—
- 1 piece with chain attached
- 1 Iron Stanchion
- B. in a diamond; 1 case Byass' Lbs
- PEE GRAHAM:
- 5 pieces Print
- 1 remnant blue Cloth
- EX "RESTLESS"
- 15 pairs Woolen Drawers
- N. B.—Any parties having goods uninsured, can take them at an appraised value, by giving bonds for the payment of the amount of Salvage, which will be decided hereafter.
- CARD.
- ALL PARTIES HAVING RECEIVED
- A Goods from the wreck of the Bark Nannette, are required to deliver them at the Wharf of the Hudson Bay Co., at Victoria, with all diligence. Any party failing to do so will be prosecuted with the utmost rigor of the law.
- ALEX. C. ANDERSON, Lloyd's Agent.
- jal 11
- NOTICE.
- TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT
- The Office of Lands and Works till the 15th inst., for the removal of the ground around the Government Buildings. The extent of the said excavations will be shown on the premises.
- B. W. PEARSE,
- (Signed) Acting Colonial Secretary.
- COURT OF REVISION.
- THE COURT OF REVISION, appointed under the "Trades License Act, 1860," will meet by adjournment, on Saturday next, Jan. 12th, at 11 o'clock, A. M., at the Treasury Building, James' Bay.
- W. BROOKE NAYLOR,
- Sheriff of Vancouver Island.
- REMOVAL.
- G. VIGNOLO HAS REMOVED HIS
- G. place of business from Johnson street, to the Fireproof Brick Building, corner of Yates and Wharf streets.
- jal 11
- G. VIGNOLO, Corner Wharf and Yates streets.
- Holiday Books!
- A FINE COLLECTION OF
- HANDSOMELY BOUND
- AND.....
- ILLUSTRATED GIFT BOOKS,
- Appropriate for
- Christmas and New Year's Presents.
- Elegant Family 4to Bibles.
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- CATHOLIC PRAYER BOOKS,
- ANNUALS, etc., etc.
- HIBBEN & CARSWELL,
- STATIONERS' HALL.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

- TAKE NOTICE.
- BY THE ARRIVAL OF THE ALMA,
- FROM LONDON,
- A SUPERIOR LOT OF
- BALTIC SHIRTS,
- The Finest that has been exhibited in this City.
- A FINE LOT OF
- LADIES' BALMORAL STOCKINGS,
- Gentlemen's Heavy Balmoral Undershirts and Drawers.
- Heavy white Saxony Wool Undershirts, double breasted.
- Shetland Undershirts and Drawers.
- A superior article of scarlet ribbed Undershirts.
- Two very superior Gentlemen's Smoking Robes; the Silk Velvet one cost twenty-five dollars in London; the Silk and Wool, cost eighteen.
- A Full Assortment of Neck Ties.
- Stout Aberdeen and Shetland Hose.
- A Full Assortment of
- Gentlemen's Silk Handkerchiefs.
- I am prepared to offer the largest and best Assortment of
- GENTLEMEN'S GLOVES
- Ever exhibited in Victoria, comprising
- Gents' O. S. Fur Gloves, lined;
- Gents' O. S. Seal Skin Gloves, lined;
- Ladies' O. S. White Norway Gauntlets, for Riding;
- Gents' Mock Gauntlets;
- Gents' Ringwood Gauntlets, lined;
- Gents' Ringwood Gloves;
- Gents' Stout Aberdeen Gloves, lined;
- Gents' Buck Gloves, scarlet lined;
- Gents' Wash. Norway Buck Gloves;
- Gents' Cloth Mixed Costa Gloves;
- Gents' Twill'd Fringe Gloves;
- Gents' Patent Mode Gloves.
- Ladies should call soon and examine those
- Lady Franklin Gloves.
- For Winter wear. Those who are afflicted with the Rheumatism should call and examine those pure
- Baltic Shirts,
- Which are a certain cure; also, the heavy
- Saxony Wool Drawers.
- I have Drawers that will fit gentlemen standing from six to seven feet in height. Also, a full assortment of
- DRESS WHITE SHIRTS.
- Gentlemen's Night Shirts.
- A full assortment of
- Scotch Tartan Knit Hose.
- All of which Goods I shall offer cheap for cash.
- CALL AND EXAMINE AT
- N. POINTER'S,
- Government st., two doors south of the Post Office.
- 3a2 1m
- Wm. Culverwell's
- GENERAL AGENCY
- For the Collection of Rents and Debts,
- AND FOR THE
- Leasing of Houses and Lands,
- Having been removed to the new Fireproof Building, at the corner of
- YATES AND LANGLEY STREETS,
- He is prepared to transact all business which may be intrusted to his care, in a correct manner.
- Attached to the Agency is an
- INTELLIGENCE OFFICE,
- in which persons wishing to engage help or seeking situations may record their names.
- Money Loaned on Good Security.
- NOTES DISCOUNTED.
- Bookkeeper, Accountant, Documents Copied
- etc., etc., etc.
- In cases requiring a power of Attorney security will be furnished.
- ja8 11
- ASSAY OFFICE.
- A. MARCHAND,
- Formerly of the Firm of Marchand & Co., Assayers.
- BEGS TO RETURN HIS THANKS TO
- Business public, for the many favors he has received from them, during his connection with the late firm, and would respectfully announce that he will open an Office for the Assaying of Gold, Silver and other Ores, on the 15th inst., in Macdonald's old Banking House, under the name and style of
- MARCHAND & CO.
- ja3 2w
- Victoria Coal Company.
- COAL AND WOOD.
- THE PRICE OF COAL IN QUANTITY
- of one Ton and upwards, including drayage and portage, will from this date be ELEVEN DOLLARS PER TON.
- JOHN T. LITTLE & CO., Agents,
- City Wharf, foot of Yates street.
- ja3 1m 2p
- Miners' Restaurant,
- WADDINGTON ALLEY, BETWEEN YATES AND JOHNSON STREETS.
- THE PUBLIC ARE INFORMED THAT
- this well known Restaurant has been entirely refitted and furnished, and is now open for custom.
- Board and Lodgings per week.....\$7 00
- Best of Wines and Cigars constantly on hand.
- All my old friends and customers are invited to give me a call and partake of a dish of HAGGIS.
- gn 3m
- FRANCOIS FABRE.
- LANDING EX BARK "ALMA"
- FROM LONDON.
- 100 CASES 4 DOZ EACH, BYASS'
- London Porter,
- 25 cases 8 doz each (pints) London Porter,
- 25 cases Orange Bitters
- For sale by
- THOMAS PATRICK & CO.,
- Cor Johnson and Government streets.
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- TWO ELEGANT SETS OF PARLOR
- FURNITURE, for sale by
- P. M. BACKUS, Yates street.
- d21
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- ARCHITECTS,
- Office: Yates Street, Victoria.
- Over N. Moore & Co.'s Dry Goods Store d24
- FRUIT TREES,
- 3000 APPLES OF THE MOST choice
- varieties, for sale cheap. Apply to
- JAS. C. POSTON,
- Wharf street.
- ja3 1m

MISCELLANEOUS.

- THE FIRST
- GRAND FIREMEN'S BALL,
- Will be given by
- Deluge Engine Company No. 1
- On THURSDAY, Jan. 24, 1861,
- By Special permission
- Under the patronage of His Excellency
- GOVERNOR DOUGLAS,
- AT ROBINSON'S VICTORIA THEATRE.
- Committee of Arrangements:
- J. DICKSON. J. S. DRUMMOND
- A. WADDINGTON. E. METCALF.
- A. CLINK. J. WILCOX.
- J. MARTIN.
- DELUGE ENGINE COMPANY
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- A. Waddington. O. Hooking-
- G. L. Seymour. H. Shipper.
- UNION HOOK AND LADDER CO.:
- D. A. Edgar. William Walls.
- TIGER ENGINE CO.:
- Capt. John Thain. E. Coker.
- Floor Committee:
- DELUGE ENGINE COMPANY:
- J. S. Drummond. J. M. Robertson.
- C. B. Young. H. Valentin.
- UNION HOOK AND LADDER CO.:
- E. H. Jackson.
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- S. Kelley.
- J. B. ROBINSON.....FLOOR CONDUCTOR.
- TICKETS—Six Dollars, to be had of either of the Committee of Arrangements. ja3 11
- Liquors, Liquors, Liquors.
- JUST RECEIVED
- Ex-Sheraton, Vickery and Glencoe.
- 10 1-4 CASES JAS. HENNESSY'S
- BRANDY, Pale and Dark,
- 3 puns Jamaica Rum,
- 10 1/2 cks Port Wine,
- 75 becks Champagne, choicest brands.
- 100 bble choice Old Kentucky Whisky. This Whisky is received direct from the distillery in Paris County, Seat of Bourbon, "Kentucky," and can be depended upon as being a pure article, and is well worthy the attention of connoisseurs in that article.
- 20 cases Vin de France,
- 20 do Absinth, Pernod,
- 10 cks Claret Wine,
- 100 cases Claret, various brands,
- 100 cases Bitters, various brands now in use,
- 100 cases California Wine, various vintages.
- All of the above liquors have been selected with great care for first class trade, and will be sold low
- by W. H. OLIVER,
- Johnson street, opposite Wharf street, Victoria.
- d20 1m2p
- Ryckman & Marks,
- Wholesale Dealers and Importers
- OF—
- WINES and LIQUORS.
- Wharf, Opposite Yates Street.
- OFFER FOR SALE
- JAS. HENNESSY'S FINE PALE Brandy,
- Vintage 1856, do do
- Old Duff's do do
- Vintage 1855, do do
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- Vintage 1858, do do
- Alex. Seignette's Brandy, in qtrs and eights,
- Marett & Co.'s Brandy, do do
- American Brandy, Whiskys, Gin, etc., etc.
- Old Jamaica Rum,
- Harvey's Scotch Whisky,
- Old Magnolia Whisky (Bourbon),
- Bower's XXX Whisky,
- Superior Old Tom Gin,
- do Holland Gin,
- do St. Croix Rum,
- Choice Old Port Wine,
- do Sherry do
- Claret in case (Chateau La Rose and J. Durand)
- do in bulk, fine article.
- Champagne, (E. Ciquot), qrs and pnts,
- do (Louis Lareux) do do
- do (Delbeck & Berghis) pony size,
- Sachem, Boker's, Leslie's, Morning Call,
- Hosette's sodas and Orange Bitters,
- Syrups, Cordials, Cider, Schnapps,
- Wormwood Old Q. Brandy,
- etc., etc., etc.
- ALSO—
- 4 bales Choice Hops.
- For sale low by
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- 20 M. FT. ASSORTED RED WOOD
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- COLUMBIA STREET,
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- in Victoria, from South America, and having a thorough knowledge of the Spanish language is desirous of forming an EVENING SPANISH CLASS on three evening in the week, from 7 to 9 o'clock, P. M.
- The lessons could be given on any days in the week agreed upon by the pupils.
- For particulars inquire at the "Colonist" Office, or at the Wharf Office, City Wharf, at the foot of Yates street. d29 1m
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- At T. CAMERON'S, (Blacksmith).
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- Sugar, Molasses, Salt.
- 25 TONS S. I. SALT.
- Sugar in kegs and bbls,
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- BEHOLDING TO A LATE MASTER IN
- Her Majesty's Service, by one of the best makers, for sale by
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- lot of German Tin Toys by
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- COMMISSION MERCHANTS
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- And Battery street, San Francisco, California.
- d11 11
- SELM FRANKLIN & CO.,
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F. W. WOOD,
Manager.
Victoria, Feb. 24, 1890.

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Classes will also be formed for the Teaching of
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500 BALES CALIFORNIA OAT HAY,
400 sacks Barley,
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In lots to suit.
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This household remedy should be in the hands of every family and individual, as a timely application of it to a slight cold will cause immediate relief; while cases of long standing, obstinate, and apparently incurable character, will surely yield to its wonderful curative powers and its great adaptability to the wants of man when afflicted.

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MEALS FURNISHED AT ALL HOURS
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--AND--
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Rear of Langley Bros.' Store,
YATES STREET.

P. P. GRIFFIN HAS GREAT PLEASURE in informing his friends and the public of Victoria that he has laid in a Stock of WINES and LIQUORS, of every brand, for the ensuing Holiday season, which cannot be surpassed, and will be enabled to supply Families by the gallon or bottle, at the most reasonable rates.

B. P. G. invites all persons requiring articles in his line to favor him with a call, feeling assured that it will lead to a continuance of their favors.
P. S.--Note the Address. dc22 1m

OUR HOUSE.
WILLIAM H. JACKSON
WOULD EXTEND TO HIS FRIENDS and customers that his establishment has been moved to a large and commodious house on Johnson street, where the best BREAKFASTS, DINNERS and SUPPERS can be had on the shortest notice.

Board and Lodging..... \$2 00 per week.
Board alone..... \$1 00 " "
Single Meal..... 37 1/2 " "
December 11, 1890. 6m

LANGLY BROS.,
Importing Druggists,
YATES STREET, VICTORIA.
HAVE RECEIVED, DIRECT FROM
London, a Choice Selection of--
DRUGS, CHEMICALS,
Surgical Instruments,
Patent Medicines and Perfumery.

ATKINSON'S INFANT'S PRESERVATIVE;
Cockle's Anti-Bilious Pills;
Keating's Cough Lozenges;
Murray's Fluid Magnesia;
Curling's Sparkling Citrate of Magnesia;
Superior Sedlitz Powders;
Essential Oil of Kip-ton Pippin;
Essential Oil of Pine Apple;
Essential Oil of Strawberry;
Essential Oil of Raspberry;
Essential Oil of Jargonell Pears;
Essential Oil of Nectar;
Rowland's Mace-Oil;
Rowland's Odorant;
Rowland's Kalydor;
Gosnell's Colognes;
Gosnell's Cherry Tooth Paste;
Gosnell's Soap;
Gosnell's Hair Brushes.
d23 1m

Wolfe's Celebrated
SCHIEDAM AROMATIC SCHNAPPS,
manufactured at my old Distillery, near
SCHIEDAM, HOLLAND.
Renowned in Europe and the United States for nearly twenty years, for unrivalled purity, and for wholesome tonic properties.

Beware of the cheap poisonous trash put up in square bottles of late years, by so many name-mixers, to imitate my Pure Schnapps, and my bottles and labels.

UDOLPHO WOLFE,
Sole Importer and Proprietor,
de14 6m 22, 24 and 26 Beaver street, New York.

Livery and Sale Stables,
YATES STREET.
BOWMAN & HALSEY
INFORM THEIR FRIENDS AND THE Public generally, that they are now prepared to offer the very best accommodations in their line to be had in the town.

Saddle Horses, Buggies, etc., always ready. Horses kept on the most reasonable terms. All orders for teaming faithfully attended to.
Victoria, Dec. 11, 1890. 6m

COLONIAL MARKET,
Johnson street, between Government and Store sts.
HAS BEEN OPENED.

THE FIRST GREAT PUBLIC MARKET in Victoria, where will be found on the Stands, Fish, Meats (plain and prepared), Vegetables, Butter and Eggs, Fruits, and all eatables in general.
Johnson street between Gov. and Store. dcs

MADAME LACHARNE A L'ON-
neur de prevenir les Familles et le public qu'elle aura toujours un grand assortiment de viande preparee pour dejeuner, lunch, et souper, et une grande variete de comestibles en general. d23

FURNITURE.
BY LATE ARRIVALS, THE UNDER- signed have received additions to their hitherto well-assorted stock of Furniture--and now offer
PAINTED SETS, ten pieces;
EXTENSION TABLES, 8 and 10 feet long;
CENTRE TABLES, Serpentine and round tops, assorted sizes;
CARD TABLES, harp and square pillars; 3 choices, feet work;
BUREAUX, one-half marble top, scroll and painted pine, 4 and 6 drawers;
WHATNOTS, walnut and mahogany, 5 and 6 shelves.

CHAISES, in gilt and mahogany frames, assorted sizes, for parlors, chambers and saloons;
CHILDREN'S cribs and cradles, also high and low chairs, assorted patterns;
CHAIRS, mahogany hair cloth, spring seats, cane and wood seat, office, oak, dining, green cane, heavy, low round corner wood seats;
ROCKERS, spring seats, mahogany and cane seats and backs, sewing and arm;
SINKS, wash stands, chair cushions, coverlets, towel racks, willow crabs, etc.

BEDDING.
Pulu, Curled Hair, Moss, Wool, and Straw Mattresses, bed Feather Pillows, all sizes; in the manufacture of which we use none but the best materials, and guarantee our work.
PIERCE & SEYMOUR,
Broad street, between Yates and View.
Victoria, V. I., Feb. 22. d23-1m2p

REMOVAL.
C. VEREYDHEN,
Contractor and Builder,
Has removed his Office to the Brick Building
Corner of Douglas and Fort streets, upstairs,
AND IS PREPARED TO CONTRACT
for or superintend the erection of Brick or Frame Buildings of any kind or style.

Parties who intend to build will do well to call and plans will be shown for brick stores or dwellings, which can be erected at a trifling cost over that of a wooden building.

Plans and drawings of every style and specifications made at the shortest notice. d27 1m

A. BUHLER
HAS OPENED, AT THE CORNER
of Government and Tronca streets, an establishment for CLEANING and REPAIRING CLOTHING. His experience in the trade. City for the last sixteen years, should be a sufficient guarantee for his workmanship. Call and examine samples of work.
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CLOTHING, ETC.
N. MOORE & CO.
HAVE
REMOVED
TO THEIR
NEW FIREPROOF STORE,
YATES STREET.
Where they offer for Sale an Entirely New Stock of
DRY GOODS,
CLOTHING,
Hats & Caps,
ETC.....ETC.....ETC.
Also, a full assortment of
HOSIERY
AND
Gents' Furnishing Goods

Their large and well assorted Stock enables them to offer GREAT INDUCEMENTS TO WHOLESALE BUYERS.
Business Hours from 7 1/2 A. M. to 5 P. M. Open on Saturdays to 10 1/2 P. M. d13

NATHAN POINTER,
IMPORTER AND DEALER IN
Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods
GOVERNMENT STREET.
in the lower story of
British Colonist Fire-Proof Building,
Two doors South of the Post Office, Victoria, V. I.

Is now prepared to offer the largest assortment of Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods ever exhibited in Victoria, consisting of Messrs. Davis & Jones' Patent Shirts, (of New York), and L. Atkinson's Improved Shoulder Seam Patent Shirts, (of Philadelphia)

Just received, the latest styles of
BALTIC SHIRTS,
from London. Also, a fine lot of pure Baltic Stockings and Hosiery, Gents' Shaker Flannel Undershirts and Drawers. Also, a fine lot of Derby and Saxony
Wool Shirts and Drawers,
White and Colored Marseilles Shirts, a full assortment Gents' Superior Manchester Gingham Shirts, a magnificent assortment of
GENTS SILK SCARFS,
a new style of Gents' Fine Cassimere Comforters and Opera Scarfs, the latest styles of Davis & Jones' celebrated superlative patent

White and Colored Shirts,
and is also receiving by every Steamer those beautiful
BYRON SHIRTS,
of all sizes, varying from 13 to 20 inches around the neck. Ladies should call and examine those
Baltic Stockings,
for winter wear. Orders sent through Express for Shirts, by sending the size of the neck, I will guarantee to fit. Orders filled for all parts of
British Columbia & Puget Sound.

I shall receive fresh Goods by every arrival from London. Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid Gloves, extra Grecian. A fine lot of
GENTLEMEN'S GLOVES,
for the Fall and Winter trade.
--ALSO--
a fine lot of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Silk Umbrellas, high finish. The Gloves consist of some 75 dozen pairs, of various kinds. The Crimean Blue Over-shirts, weighing two and a half pounds, with double backs. We study to please. Business hours, from 6 A. M. to 10 P. M. au25 6m

PACIFIC INSURANCE AGENCY,
(Representing 11 Companies.)
McLEAN & FOWLER, Agents.....San Francisco.

THE UNDERSIGNED, IN ADDITION to making terms for
Fire Risks in Victoria,
Is now prepared to insure, in Open Policies,
Cargo, Freight and Treasure.
From Victoria and New Westminster to Ports on Columbia River and vice versa.
From Victoria, New Westminster and Ports on Puget Sound to San Francisco.
From Victoria to China.

ROBT. GEORGE, Local Agent,
Quincy Hall
YATES STREET,
Wholesale and Retail Clothing
E. HARRIS HAS JUST OPENED A very large assortment of
Ready-made Clothing and Furnishing Goods,
And is now prepared to supply his friends and the public with the best and cheapest Goods in the city
Blankets of all kinds; Hats and Caps in every style always on hand. d25 1m

A. J. BRUNN,
DRAPER AND TAILOR, IS CONSTANTLY receiving English and French Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, etc.; also, superior quality of Tailors' Trimmings, which enables him to make Gentlemen's Garments in the latest Fashion and most substantial manner.

Parties furnishing their own material, or Garments of old fashion, can have it made up and trimmed at reasonable prices.
Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods and Hats and Caps sold at low cash prices. YATES STREET,
opposite Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express Office.
n20 6m

DRUGS & MEDICINES.
Rheumatism!
PERMANENTLY CURED
BY DR. W. H. GOSS,
(Late of San Francisco.)
WHO TAKES PLEASURE IN ANNOUNCING to the Inhabitants of Victoria and vicinity that he has located himself on Tronca street, near Government street, (opposite the Post Office,) where he is prepared to treat all species of diseases on the Rotor principle of Medical Practice,
Minerals Never Being Used!
Dr. G.'s almost unlimited success, for years past, in treating all kinds of diseases, especially Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Dyspepsia, Inflammation and Chronic Diseases of the Kidneys, Liver, Lungs, etc., justify him in saying to the curable, HE CAN CURE THEM, and to the incurable, he can afford relief. Those who are suffering would do well to call and consult him.

In connection with his Establishment, he has erected the MEDICATED VAPOR AND ELECTRO-CHEMICAL BATHS, which purify the blood, improve the circulation, and equalize the nervous forces, by this means imparting a universal warmth and strength to the entire system. They are an invaluable aid in the cure of Rheumatism and all Mercurial Affections.

Consultation at all hours. d23 1m

Old Sackem Bitters & Wigwam Tonic.
THESE UNEQUALLED BITTERS and Tonic are now meeting with unparalleled sales and favor with consumers. In all cases of DYSPEPSIA, DEBILITY, LOSS OF APPETITE, or any irregularity of the stomach, they will be found an efficient remedy, as well as a most wholesome and agreeable Tonic.

As a preventive of Chills and Fever, they have no equal, and have with thousands become an indispensable family medicine; being perfectly pure, and free from any deleterious substance, can be taken by all, young and old, male and female, with benefit.

For sale by GEO. W. SNELL, Agent, San Francisco, and by the principal Grocers, Druggists and Wine Merchants throughout the country.

For sale by
W. H. OLIVER, Victoria.
n10 6m

Greeley's Bourbon Bitters.
THE POPULARITY OF THESE BITTERS is due to the purity of the materials of which they are prepared, and the delicate combination of simple alteratives and tonics so well calculated to act upon every part of the digestive organs, and through them to reach and cure all complaints arising from a diseased condition of the Stomach and Bowels.

GREELEY'S BOURBON WHISKY BITTERS are highly nourishing and fattening, and as a Tonic for old people, delicate ladies, consumptive patients, and all weakly persons, they cannot be surpassed. In all cases of Weakness or Debility, they will give immediate relief, and impart a strong, healthy tone to the system. For the cure of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Nervous Diseases, Liver Complaints, Weakness or Debility, Flatulency and Nausea, and all complaints consequent upon a disordered state of the Stomach, Liver and Bowels, they are not equalled. As an aperient, they are much admired; they sharpen the appetite, brighten the intellect, and infuse new life and vigor. No one who uses these Bitters can be subject to an attack of Fever and Ague or Diarrhoea.

Put up in Quart Bottles, in cases of one dozen, and for sale by Druggists, Grocers and Liquor Merchants everywhere.

GEO. W. SNELL, General Agent,
139 Washington street, San Francisco.
For sale by W. H. OLIVER & J. D. CARROLL, Victoria.

Hostetter's Celebrated Stomach Bitters.--No medicine has ever achieved a higher reputation. In every section of the country its merits are known and fully acknowledged. The leading physicians in the country have expressed their warm approval of this preparation, as uniting all the best qualities of a tonic and invigorant, without kindling the appetite for alcoholic liquors. In cases of indigestion of the digestive organs, to which all uncleanliness of the system, to which all uncleanliness of the diet cannot at all times be had, the Bitters will be found to be the quickest corrective and most reliable remedy yet discovered. Diarrhoea, Dysentery, and the various bilious and intermittent fevers all yield to the curative properties of this medicine. No person should be without the Bitters a single day.

For sale by all Druggists and dealers generally everywhere, and by
GEORGE W. SNELL,
139 Washington street, San Francisco.
For sale by W. H. OLIVER & J. D. CARROLL, Victoria.

JACOB VAN HORN'S CENTURY WHISKY.
Put up in extra Barrels and Half Barrels.
JACOB VAN HORN'S FOREST LAWN WHISKY
In handsome Glass Jugs, one dozen in a case.

MY TWO ABOVE BRANDS OF CHOICEST Old Rye Whisky stand unrivalled for purity and high flavor, and will be found far superior to any here before shipped to California.

Having now an Agency in San Francisco, my pure Whiskies will be for sale by Dealers throughout California.

I warrant none shipped under Four Years old.
JACOB VAN HORN,
New York.
de14 6m

Two Children Cured of Scrofula.
Cincinnati, March 4, 1890--Messrs. A. L. Scovill & Co.--Dear Sirs: This is to certify that my two children have been cured of SCROFULOUS ULCERS. I tried your Blood and Liver Syrup, which cured them in a remarkably short time. My wife has been afflicted for many years with the most troublesome disease--Tetter and Rheumatism--and has used a good many remedies, which have failed to cure her. This remedy has made a radical cure. If any one wants a medicine for purifying the blood, they will find the above named among the best now in use.

Formerly of the firm of Tronca & Miser, Two doors below the Gibson House.
Scovill's Blood and Liver Syrup is warranted not only to cure Scrofula, Tetter and Rheumatism, but all humors of the system, such as sores and pimples on the skin, scald-head, etc.

For sale by all the principal Druggists and by GEO. W. SNELL, Agent for the Pacific Coast, 139 Washington street, San Francisco. n10 3m

Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam, a Great remedy for COLD and CONSUMPTION.--Port Larnies, Shelby Co., O., June 10, 1890--Messrs. A. L. Scovill & Co.--Dear Sirs: I formerly lived in Pittsburg, Mo., where I was afflicted with a violent cough, which reduced me very low, and I tried several remedies, all to no purpose, and finally one of my neighbors came and told me about Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs and being very highly recommended for such diseases, and for recommendations I was induced to try the remedy. I used only TWO BOTTLES, and it CURED ME.

GEO. W. SPOTZENBERGER.
For sale by all Druggists, and by GEO. W. SNELL, Agent, (successor to Park & White) 139 Washington street, San Francisco. n10 3m

DR. GARRAUD, SURGEON DENTIST,
LATE OF SAN FRANCISCO,
HAS THE HONOR TO INFORM THE public that he has opened an office in the frame building next to the Post Office, where he is prepared to perform all operations in Dentistry, in the most scientific manner, on moderate terms; and trusts he may have a share of public patronage.

Office: Government street, between the Fort and Broughton streets. n21 3m

NESBITT & CO.,
Corner of Broad and Yates streets.
THE ABOVE MENTIONED FIRM having just received the latest and best machinery, are prepared to fill all orders for
PILOT BRE
NAVY BREAD,
SODA CRACKERS,
Sugar Crackers, Butter Crackers
PICNIC CRACKERS,
WATER CRACKERS,
At the shortest notice and most reasonable rates.
A large and fresh assortment constantly on hand. d21 1m

WINES AND LIQUORS.
J. D. CARROLL,
YATES STREET,
(BETWEEN WHARF AND GOVERNMENT STS.)
IMPORTER.
--AND--
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER
--IN--
Wines and Liquors,
Now Offers for Sale the Following
CHOICE BRANDS.

10 Puncheons Scotch Whisky,
10 " Jamaica Rum;
10 " Swain & Board's Old Tom Gin;
15 pipes Holland Gin;
15 casks Sazerac Cognac;
10 " J. Robbins Cognac;
10 " Martell Cognac;
16 " Benedictine Cognac;
25 bbls Bourbon Whisky,
50 bbls Alcohol
50 casks American Brandy;
25 bbls Allsopp & Sons' Burton Ale;
50 bbls Oregon Oiler;

150 cases Swain and Board's Old Tom
300 cases London Dock Cognac Brandy;
20 cases London Club House Gin;
50 " Wolfe's Schnapps;
100 cs V. H. & Co. Anchor Holland Gin
50 " Absinthe Suisse;
50 " Vermouth Riviere;
50 " Scotch Whisky, Robt Thin;
150 cases Claret Wine
50 " John Burdett Hunt Sautern
10 bbls B. G. & Co. Cognac Wine;
10 " Crown Port Wine;

25 baskets Heidsieck Champagne
10 " Heidsieck Champagne, out-
25 cases Rosenbaum's Bitters;
25 " Hostetter's Bitter;
15 " Turner's Forest Wine Bitters;
25 " Boker's Bitters;
0 " Ginger Wine;
150 cases Turner's Assorted Syrups;
100 casks Bass' Porter, 4 doz. each
50 casks Bass' Ale, 4 doz. each.
Orders from any part of the COUNTRY punctually attended to.
TERMS CASH.

J. D. CARROLL,
Opposite Freeman & Co's Express,
Yates Street.
no22-3m

Reinhart, Mayer & Co.,
WHOLESALE DEALERS AND IMPORTERS OF
Wines, Liquors, Ales, Cigars,
Groceries, Provisions.
--AND--
CLOTHING,
YATES STREET, VICTORIA, V. I.

JUST RECEIVED--EXPERIENS, a large and excellent assortment of
Wines, Ales, Liquors, Cigars, Groceries,
CLOTHING, &c.,
Which we offer to Dealers at our usual LOW RATES.

500 mats China No. 1 Rice,
300 bbls Golden Gate Flour;
300 bbls Oregon Flour;
100 bbls Self-Rising Flour;
250 mats China No. 1 Rice;
250 bbls Sandwich Island Sugar;
70 cs and bbls choice Bacon;
75 half and whole bbls extra extra Pork;
40 flms choice Butter;
50 cs Jewell & Harrison's Lard;
200 cs Baco, Chilli and White Beans;
50 chests choice Black Tea;
50 chests choice Green Tea;
250 boxes Adamantine and Spermin Candles;
100 doz Blue Overalls;
150 doz White Overalls;
100 doz Blue Grey Overalls;
50 doz Cassimere Pants;
100 gross boxes Smoking Tobacco;
50 bbls Champagne, favorite brands;
100 cs Wolfe's Ruse' and Volder's Schnapps;
500 doz Lux Cheating Tobacco, assorted brands, at New Westminster, which we offer to dealers at low rates; and a general assortment of
Ales, Wines, Liquors, Cigars,
ETC. ETC. ETC.
All of which will be sold
CHEAP FOR CASH.

REINHART & BRO.,
YATES STREET,
(Opposite Wells, Fargo & Co's Express.)
VICTORIA.
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French Benevolent Society.
FIRST SEMESTRIAL REPORT.

CASH RECEIVED:
Subscriptions of members.....\$558 00
Donations from members and others..... 218 70
Board, &c., from paying patients..... 45 00
Total Cash received..... \$821 70
Expenses for six months..... 567 03
Balance on hand..... 254 67

Number of members..... 113
Number of patients..... 73
Sick days aggregated..... 4
do do average..... 18
Patients remaining..... 1
Number of deaths..... 0
J. B. TIMMERMAN,
Secretary, pro tem.
d20 1m

FOR SALE EX RECENT ARRIVALS.
50 CASES TENNANT'S PALE ALE (qrts).
30 casks Tennant's Strong Ale (qrts).
20 casks Jud & Co's Burton Ale (qrts).
30 casks Buss' Pale Ale (pls).
10 casks Oregon Cider,
200 cases Old Tom,
20 cases Davenport's Wheat Whisky,
25 cases Duff Gordon's Pale Sherry,
25 cases Superior Brandy,
30 cases Bock & Sedewick's Gin,
25 cases Cherry Cordial,
15 cases assorted Syrups,
25 cases Old Bourbon Whisky,
5 puncheons Bernard's Old Tom,
5 do Stewart's Scotch Whisky,
5 do McKenzie's do do
In lots to suit.
J. J. SOUTHGATE & Co.,
Wharf street.
d22 1m

FOR SALE.
20 CASES BONNITT'S SUPERIOR PALE BRANDY.
J. J. SOUTHGATE & Co.,
Wharf street.
d22 1m

L. A. BLANC,
Watchmaker and Jeweller, Government street,
Victoria, V. I.

ON HAND--A FINE ASSORTMENT of Watches, Clocks and Jewellery.
Particular attention paid to the Manufacture of Watch Cases, Diamond and Quartz Work, and all other kinds of Jewellery made to order and repaired at shortest notice. n23 6m

Hall's Sarsaparilla, Yellow Dock and Iodide of Potass is prepared from the finest Jamaica Sarsaparilla and English Iodide of Potass--admirable as a restorative and purifier of the blood, it cleanses the system of all morbid and impure matter--removes pimples, boils and eruptions from the skin--cures rheumatism and pains of all kinds. All who can afford should use it, as it tends to give them strength and prolong life.

Sold by Druggists generally at 21 per bottle.
R. HALL & CO., Proprietors,
Wholesale and Retail, 143 and 145 Clay street,
Below Montgomery, San Francisco.
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CHEESE--A few cases very superior Whitebire in 8-lb tins, for sale by
JANION & GREEN.
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